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SUBJ: REBEL STRENGTH IN CHAD

REF: STATE 44004

1. QUAI SOURCE HAS GIVEN US COPY OF INTERNAL GOF
DOCUMENT WHICH IS SKETCH MAP OF CHAD WITH AREAS OF REBEL
STRENGTH INDICATED BY CIRCLES COVERING BROAD AREA OF
ACTIVITY. BEGINNING AT NORTHWEST AND PROCEEDING
CLOCKWISE FOLLOWING ARE REBEL LOCATIONS AND STRENGTHS
SHOWN (NUMBERS ARE ESTIMATES OF MEN ACTUALLY UNDER A
ARMS):

--AREA AROUND ZOUAR, BARDAI, AND SOUTH TO FAYA;
GOUKOUNI SECOND ARMY; 1,000 MEN (SOURCE SAID MORE
RECENT ESTIMATE IS ABOUT 1500.)

--AREA STRETCHING FROM OUNIANGA KEBIR TO SOUTH-
EAST AND INCLUDING FADA; (WILLAYA ENNEDI) HILLI
ALLA FORZA; 1,000 MEN.

--AREA SOUTH AND EAST OF OUM CHALOUBA AND INCLUD-
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ING BILTINE AND BABECHE; FROLINAT, MALLOUM BOUKAR,
HISSEIH HABRE; 200 MEN.

--AREA BETWEEN ABECHÉ AND AM TIMAN; FROLINA
VOLCAN; 300 MEN.

--AREA EAST OF NDJAMENA, SOUTH OF ATI, AND NORTH
OF SARH; FROLINAT; 300 MEN.

--AREA EXTENDING NORTH AND WEST FROM MAO AND INTO

NIGER; BAND OF ABOUBAKAR MAHMAT ABDELRAHMANE. NO NUMBERS
GIVEN ON MAP. (SOURCE DESCRIBED BAND AS NUMBERING LESS
THAN 50.)

2. SOURCE OF THIS INFORMATION SHOULD NOT BE REVEALED
IN DISCUSSIONS WITH FOREIGN NATIONALS.

3. COPIES OF MAP BEING POUCHED NDJAMENA AND DEPARTMENT.
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